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Applicants: Nick J. Huige, et al.

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Title: METHOD OF OXYGENATING YEAST SLURRY USING
HYDROPHOBIC POLYMERIC MEMBRANES

Art Unit: 1761

Examiner: C. Sherrer

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the January 17, 2001 Office Action Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered, and respectfully submit the following Remarks.

Please amend the application as follows:

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